

THURSDAY, JULY 5, 1945

### Don't Attempt Rail Travel, CRC Warns

Tokio-bound American troops, streaming toward West Coast ports within the next few months, will cause the tightest civilian transportation "squeeze" in modern history, it was indicated today, following a conference of Col. J. M. Johnson, O. D. T. director, with the California Railroad Commission.

Traffic to and from the coast will increase from 30 to 40 per cent, Johnson told the Commission, and within a very brief period passenger space west-bound from Chicago will be theoretically non-existent. Almost as difficult will be civilian travel eastward, he said.

Highlighting the situation in transportation which is due to develop rapidly from now on until Japan is crushed, Colonel Johnson declared that it may be necessary to actually cancel some Pullman train service although he hoped that this drastic measure would not be necessary.

The heavy traffic movement, the director said, will throw more and unprecedented burdens on both truck and bus carriers. Colonel Johnson added that both the rail carriers and the people are to be congratulated for the manner in which they are cooperating to speed war traffic. So serious may become the "bottleneck" of cars and equipment that "referees"—refrigerator cars—which have already been hauling merchandise westward may be pressed into service to haul the thousands of tons of mail which will follow the troops toward Tokyo.

Meantime, commenting on Colonel Johnson's analysis, L. Harold Anderson, president of the Railroad Commission, urged Californians to forego lengthy vacation trips because of the transportation situation. In line with the admonitions of other public agencies Anderson urged vacationers to endeavor to find relaxation and vacation spots close to their homes.

### County Building

Dwelling, 20625 Royal Blvd., Hamerton Tract; John A. Guy, owner and builder, 4533 Atlantic Blvd., Long Beach, 4 rooms, \$2000.

Dwelling, 20621 Royal Blvd., Hamerton Tract; Otto W. Guy, owner and builder, 4533 Atlantic Blvd., Long Beach, 4 rooms, \$2000.

Dwelling, 5555 Woodward Ave., lots 10 and 11, Tr. 11836, Earl R. Smith owner and builder, 217 Harbor Hills, Long Beach, comp. roof.

Dwelling, 2472 Pacific Coast Highway; J. U. Bunch, owner and builder, 3 rooms, \$1300.

Dwelling, 25000 Walnut St., 4 rooms, \$3000.

### Big Revival Meetings to End Sunday

The big union revival meetings being held nightly until July 15 in the Civic Auditorium continue to meet increasing interest and success, according to the Rev. C. M. Northrup, pastor of the



Baptist Church. The meetings will be held to-night, Friday and Sunday night, the closing session.

Evangelist Porter Barrington, pastor of Hollywood Baptist Church, is bringing stirring messages, according to representatives of the various Torrance churches sponsoring the meetings, and Harry Bundy, director of music, is leading the large chorus choir and audience in the gospel song services held jointly with the revival meetings.

There are 1000 free seats available and the public is invited to the meetings.

### Communicable Diseases Show Big 1945 Drop

Communicable diseases reported in Los Angeles county for the first six months of 1945 were 28 percent lower than the total for the corresponding period in 1944, according to Dr. Roy O. Gilbert, assistant county health officer, and director of the bureau of preventable diseases.

Measles was the major factor in accounting for the drop, there being but 5,884 cases reported so far as against 24,509 for the first half of 1944. Diphtheria, influenza, and meningitis were also less prevalent for this six months' period.

Reports on whooping cough showed considerable increase in the number of cases, and scarlet fever registered the highest attack rate for the same period in any of the past ten years, and more than twice as high as in 1944.

### 60 Percent of Women Want to Keep Working

The great majority of women now employed in the Los Angeles area expect to continue to work after the war. This is indicated in preliminary returns in a survey now being made in more than 2000 industries and businesses in Southern California, according to Morris E. Bendleton, regional director for the Committee for Economic Development. The poll asked the women:

Do you intend to continue working after the war has ended?

The response is "Yes," 60.5 per cent; "No," 37.2 per cent; "Undecided," 2.3 per cent.

Of those responding, 38.8 per cent prefer to continue in present occupation; while 21.7 per

### Character Building Lack Is Discussed

Less than 10 per cent of the boys and girls of the war-boomed population of the Los Angeles area have been included in character building and citizenship training groups, according to reports made at the annual meeting of the group work division of the welfare council last week, although the community as a whole has made definite progress in looking to the needs of its youth.

Thirty-eight youth agencies of

end prefer their pre-war jobs.

The average age of women who intend to continue working is 36 years of age. Fifteen per cent of these have dependents. Those who plan to discontinue working average 32 years of age. Eight per cent of these have dependents.

the Community Chest have 100,000 enrolled including some 25,000 boys and girls active in clubs, classes, athletic groups and other groups in the Los Angeles Youth project, now established in eight less privileged city areas.

Los Angeles spends less per capita on youth activities than do other great metropolitan areas, it was pointed out, although current Community Chest appropriations for group work, including the youth project, amount to \$1,000,466.23. Deficiency here is said to be due to the sudden and great increase in population, and to the fact that during the depression years funds for youth program were some what lessened than other needs might be met.

J. A. Bruner, department store executive, and first vice president of Camp Fire Girls, was re-elected chairman of the division, and Miss Julia Mae Hamilton, executive secretary of the YWCA, was elected chairman.

### P.T.A. Plans Formulated for Next Season

George Thatcher, president of Waverly P.T.A. and Mrs. Thatcher were host and hostess to the members of the executive board of the P.T.A. at their home, 2908 Newton Ave., Tuesday morning. Thatcher presided at the first meeting of the board and Mrs. J. J. Millard, Torrance, Tenth District P.T.A. board member, was a guest and acted in an advisory capacity throughout the meeting.

Plans were formulated for kidnap breakfasts to be held throughout the summer months with Mrs. J. W. Jensen, ways and means chairman, in charge.

### COST OF SUPPLY

Cost of supplying an American soldier food, clothing, individual and barracks equipment for one year has increased 14.8 per cent over 1944.

**TO COUNTY JAIL**  
N. Ross was sentenced to the county jail as a habitual drunkard by City Judge Otto Willett this week.

Preliminary steps for County acquisition of the Central Junior High School property, located on Hill St. between Temple and Sunset, were taken by the Board of Supervisors.

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